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Permit: 015/025
Mine Name: Bear Canyon

Mr. Lowell Braxton, Administrator
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Department of Natural Resources
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DIVISION OF
OIL, GAS & MINING

Dear Mr. Braxton:

Federal Ten-Day Notice 88-02-107-12 is being issued for a violation that likely existed at the time of the last State complete inspection (LSCI). Specific details are as follows:

Date of Federal Inspection 12-16-88; Date of LSCI 09-14-88

The determination that the State did not cite the violation is based on one or more of the following reasons:

- ☒ The condition was identified in a State inspection report but no State enforcement action was taken.
- ☐ Design criteria or required certification has not been met for a structure in existence as of the last complete inspection (sediment pond, excess spoil fill, etc.)
- ☐ Necessary controls that were required at the time of the last complete State inspection have not been established (diversion ditches, sediment ponds, top soil protection, signs and markers, etc.)
- ☐ Site conditions indicate that the violation noted had been in existence at the time of, or prior to, the last complete State inspection.
- ☐ Other (Give explanation).

Mr. Lowell Braxton

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Indicate below the Division's reason(s) for not citing the alleged violation(s):

☐ Not a violation

☐ Precluded by State policy

☐ Not included under State program

☐ Warning given in Lieu of a Citation

☐ Violation not recognized (missed)

☐ Practice allowed under approved permit

☒ Too minor to cite

☐ Working with operator to correct

☒ Other: (culinary water) this has been referred to State Health for a determination

Signature Lowell P Braxton

Date 1-12-68

Please return your signed and dated response to the Albuquerque Field Office at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,



Stephen G. Rathbun
Supervisory Reclamation Specialist